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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

James L. Hobart et al.

Serial No.: 09/018,104

Filed: February 3, 1998

For:

**DUAL MODE LASER** 

**DELIVERY SYSTEM** 

**PROVIDING** 

CONTROLLABLE DEPTH OF TISSUE ABLATION AND CORRESPONDING CONTROLLABLE DEPTH

OF COAGULATION

Group Art Unit:

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REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to answer the outstanding Final Office Action mailed May 28, 2002 regarding the above-identified patent application. Please find a check enclosed in the amount of \$566.00 to cover the \$55.00 extension fee for filing a Response within the first one month plus \$511.00 for Continued Prosecution Application filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,
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